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WHOLE NO. 1469.

R. W. Broughton.

## HAVE YOU SEEN

## THE NEW NICKEL?

The handsome coin that bears so striking a resemblance to a \$5 Gold Piece, that the government has discontinued their issue as first coined.

## R. W. BROUGHTON

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## Dry Goods, Carpets, Millinery, Etc.

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## NEW STYLES!

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We are now prepared to show the finest assortment in every department, at

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## W. J. & R. SELLICK.

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To loan in large or small sums, on first class mortgage security.  
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Mrs. RHODA HOPKINS.  
61tf Paw Paw, Mich.

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Having had several years experience in handling colts, I am prepared to train colts to be driven either single or double. Ugly and vicious horses made kind.  
WILBER BABCOCK.  
Paw Paw, Mich. 1424tf

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54tf

#### B. S. PALMER, DENTIST.

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1432tf

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A. A. FOSDICK, Civil Engineer, and Surveyor of Van Buren County, will make subdivisions of surveys; take levels of mill races, and water courses for the drainage of lakes and swampy lands, and level of streets for the location of sewers of towns and villages; supply drawings of parks and village plans; special attention given to the laying out and platting of pleasure grounds, cemeteries and village additions. All work entrusted to me will receive prompt attention and be carefully done. Business in adjoining counties solicited.  
A. A. FOSDICK, Co. Surveyor,  
Williams P. O., Kalamazoo Co., Mich. 1432tf

#### FARM FOR SALE.

One mile south and 1 1/2 miles west of Mattawan. 80 acres, 70 acres well improved, 10 acres wood land. Road crossing farm, leaving a square 40 on each side, gravel soil. 25 acres of winter wheat and wheat on ground, good house, 7 rooms, stone cellar, barn 30x40, shed on two sides, and other outbuildings, good well at house, with windmill, watering both sides of road; all plow land. Orchard of 300 apples, 100 peach, 20 cherry trees, pears, plums, quinces and grapes, all bearing. 20 acres in grass. School 1/4 mile, grist-mill 1 mile. Price \$10 per acre or less. Terms, 1/2 cash, balance on time. Early possession given. Call on or address, C. A. Fuller, Mattawan, Mich., or R. O. Beebe, Paw Paw, Mich. 66m6091

#### FANCY FOWLS.

For sale by the undersigned, eggs of pure bred American Seabright, and Wyandotte chickens at \$3.00 per setting. Eggs of pure bred Pekin Ducks at \$2.00 per setting.  
Address J. H. KELLY, Lawrence, Mich.

#### A GOOD FARM AT A BARGAIN.

I have for sale a good 80 acre farm, 4 miles from Paw Paw, good orchard, buildings and fences, and in good condition.  
1430tf  
R. O. BEEBE, Paw Paw.

#### NEW GOODS.

I have opened an entirely new stock of Confectionery, Fancy Goods and Millinery at my store in the post office block. Stamping carefully done.  
64113076 MRS. H. E. SEARLES.

#### DR. A. B. SPINNEY,

Of Detroit, will be at the Dyckman House, Paw Paw, on Wednesday, June 6th, for one day only, when he can be consulted free of charge. The doctor makes a specialty of all forms of chronic, Surgical, Eye and Ear diseases. Full line of fine spectacles on hand, and fits guaranteed.  
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#### PHOTOGRAPHS.

I take pleasure in announcing to the public that I have re-opened my Picture Gallery, at my old stand, on Main St., in Paw Paw. My apparatus is entirely new, and of the most approved pattern, and I am prepared to take pictures of all kinds in the highest style of art. Give me a call and I am sure I can please you.  
51tf  
JOHN HODGES.

#### J. A. LEECH,

House, Sign and Carriage Painting, Paper-Hanging and Kalsomining done to order. Shop on Gremp's St., Paw Paw.  
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#### LOANS NEGOTIATED

On reasonable terms. Parties having money to loan or wishing to procure, may find it to their advantage to address  
A. H. HERRON,  
1457tf Real Estate and Loan Agent.

#### DENTAL NOTICE.

Dr. C. W. Ward has opened new Dental Parlors at No. 103 Main St., Kalamazoo, Mich., over Young's brick store, where he will be pleased to meet any who may need the services of a Dentist.  
1461ly

Best 50-cent tea in the city, at Butler's.

8 pounds nice coffee for \$1, at Butler's.

#### STEAM ENGINE FOR SALE.

I have a ten-horse power, portable steam engine, with tubular boiler, all in good order, which I will sell cheap. Suitable for threshing engine.  
H. E. ROWLAND,  
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A fine stock of J. & G. Meakins' Crockery, also Luster Band Ware, at Butler's. 67670

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I have constantly on hand a full line of all kinds of Hair Goods, including Jersey Lily, Langtry and Broadway Waves, cheap Wavelets, Switches, Combs, Bands, etc., at Mrs. Odell's millinery rooms, Paw Paw.  
67m6092 MRS. EMMA MARSHALL.

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#### MILLINERY.

My stock is full and complete in all the new styles of trimmings. Hats and Bonnets, in latest Spring and Summer Styles. Satisfaction guaranteed. I have an experienced trimmer, whose work will please.  
1466ly Mrs. H. E. ODELL.

#### FOR SALE.

A first-class dwelling house, just three blocks north of the arm school house. Will sell cheap. For further particulars enquire at Northern office, or of  
1468tf CHAS. HOLLEMAN.

Field Pens at Butler's.

#### MUSIC.

Having left the convention field for the present, I am now prepared to take private pupils in vocal and instrumental music.  
68tf C. E. HUTCHINS,  
Box 346 Paw Paw.

#### FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.

M. F. Miner & Son, having added a new Bolting Cloth and Purifier to the Almenna Mills, most respectfully solicit your patronage, as they are now prepared to do your work as well and as promptly as any mill in the county. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
1370tf M. F. MINER & SON.

#### JUST ARRIVED.

At Prater's Art Gallery, the largest and finest stock of picture frames that ever came into Paw Paw. All the latest city styles from the cheapest to the finest velvet and gold.

#### PICTURES.

Prater is working the new process. Babies pictures taken almost instantly. First door north of Northern office. 1399.

#### MONEY TO LOAN.

Parties desirous of obtaining Loans on Good Security, will find it to their advantage to call on me. Real estate for sale. Insurance, Collections, and Conveyancing Solicited.  
1453-ly HARRY S. RICHARDS,  
Opposite the Court House.

I desire to call the attention of the public to the fact that I am prepared to do Kalsomining, Alabastering, Whitewashing, Repairing Cisterns, etc., on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms.  
54tf DENNISON GRIMES, Paw Paw, Mich.

#### AUCTION! AUCTION!

To all parties wishing the services of an Auctioneer, I am prepared to make Farm Sales at reasonable rates.  
1358tf H. W. McCABE, Paw Paw, Mich.

#### NOTICE TO FARMERS & HORSE MEN.

Having had over Forty Years practice in Veterinary Surgery and doctoring horses and cattle, I am prepared to answer to those who are in need of my services that they will find me ready at all times to attend to their calls. Castration by the most approved methods a specialty. Residence opposite J. J. Woodman's, Paw Paw, Mich.  
JAS. N. BABCOCK.

Mr. Babcock has treated diseases in horses and colts for me and performed surgical operations, including the removal and perfect healing of an abscess on a colt, and all with success and to my entire satisfaction.  
Paw Paw, April 26th, 1882.  
1414 J. J. WOODMAN.

#### TO THE PUBLIC.

The firm of Forsyth & Bryar having been dissolved, and not having been able to obtain a settlement, although offering Mr. Bryar \$75 a month for the time he was in business with me, and he having in his possession about \$700 of money belonging to the firm, I have left all accounts with W. H. Mason, Esq., for collection, and the same must be paid before July 25th, or costs will be made thereon. Remember the date.  
692 P. G. FORTYTH.

The assessment roll for the township of Paw Paw, will be ready for the review on Monday, May 21st, at the office of W. H. Mason.

C. W. Young, Supervisor.

#### ATTENTION, BREAD-EATERS!

No more cockle flour. Having added a Cockle Separator, in the Central Mills, we are prepared to make a much better grade of flour than we have been able to make heretofore. Try it for yourselves, and be convinced.  
(69) WISE & SMITH.

#### C. A. HARRISON,

Attorney at Law. Office in the Court House Paw Paw, Mich. 1413

#### A Card.

The undersigned desire to express their thanks to those who so thoughtfully and kindly furnished flowers on the recent sad occasion of the death and burial of our dear son.  
MR. & MRS. A. H. HERRON.

#### A Card.

To the many friends who were so kind in our recent affliction, and the cheerfulness of their beautiful flowers and many tokens of esteem, we desire to extend our most heartfelt thanks.  
MRS. MURPHY,  
MRS. ROSE DAVEY,  
MRS. FRANK DREW.

#### Local Department.

J. M. Crane was in town last Wednesday. Have you got the lucky number? See Jay's ad.

Mrs. Jones says she will make a new start and is going through to San Francisco.

Broughton, the dry goods man, speaks another piece to the people this week.

A large amount of correspondence arrived late this week and was unavoidably omitted.

Our town board have appointed John Free and Joseph Davey, as members of the township board of review.

Miss Shedd closes her dancing school here to-night and gives a dance at the town hall next Tuesday evening.

Wm. Shepard, of Gliddenburg, died on Wednesday of last week, after a lingering illness of long standing.

Our city fathers are causing new crosswalks to be laid across and along Main street. A much needed improvement.

Mr. N. M. Pugsley and family, after many years of hard labor on his farm, have moved into town to enjoy their *otium cum dignitate*.

Hartford has another liquor dealer, Ralph Richmond, who has paid \$300 for the privilege of aiding in the prosperity (?) of our sister village.

Rev. L. F. Munroe of Hartford, will exchange next Sabbath with the pastor of the First Baptist church, and will preach at Lawton at 2:30 p. m.

The Schoolcraft Agricultural Society and Driving Park Association, will hold their third spring fair at Schoolcraft, Mich., May 23, 24, and 25, 1883.

O. W. Rowland has been appointed by the township board, as chairman of the township board of school inspectors, *vice* Miss Claribel Thompson, resigned.

It has finally been decided to hold the next examination of teachers at Hartford instead of at South Haven. Teachers will take notice of the date, Saturday, May 26th.

The Grammar Department of our union school will give a little entertainment on this (Friday) afternoon, at which time all its patrons and friends will be cordially welcomed.

E. A. Blackman Esq. has been appointed secretary of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company, in place of C. A. Harrison Esq. resigned. The office will be in the *Courier* building.

The Central Michigan Agricultural Society will hold its second spring fair—open to the world—at Lansing, May 29, 30, 31, and June 1, 1883. Some fine speed premiums are offered.

Vet. Myers was arraigned before Esq. Warner, one day last week, charged with using obscene language on the street. The evidence being conclusive, he was fined \$5 and costs, which he paid.

Dr. Robinson is in town and will remain here about ten days for the purpose of doing dental work. He had a card in our last paper but as his name did not appear it was not a very valuable notice. Give him a call.

D. D. Noble of Antwerp, has been having a serious time. First he suffered from a severe illness, then he had a felon on his hand, and just as that was getting well he received a kick from a horse which broke his arm in three places.

Wm. Lee, of the Union House, on Friday last, undertook to ride a log in the Briggs pond, but not being as spry as he was in his younger days, he took an involuntary bath which was several times repeated before he reached the shore.

W. H. Durkee, better known to his old army comrades as "Billy," recently returned from Fort Bayard, N. M., where he has been for the last two or three years. He is looking much more hale and hearty than when he went to that country.

The result of the prosecution against James Bennett for violation of liquor law was a verdict of guilty and a sentence of \$40 fine and costs and 15 days in jail. The case has been appealed. Mr. Brophy changed his plea to guilty and was fined \$30 and costs.

We think the services at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning deserving of special mention. Mr. Harvey's discourse was a very original though forcible temperance sermon, while the choir seemed to invest the familiar hymns with unwonted melody.

Mrs. Elder Gilman, mother of Riley Bangs, died on Saturday last at noon, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Maria Bathrick, of Mattawan, at the ripe old age of 91 years. The funeral exercises were held on Monday last. The body was sent to the state of New York for burial.

An innocent little girl not far from this village, came to town the other day, and on returning home said to her mother, "Ma, I saw Mary down at the shop." "Did you, dear," replied the mother, "what did she say?" "O nothing," returned the little one, "she only just kissed pa." Tableau.

Mat Longwell has a pile of about 300 cords of wood in the rear of the Dyckman House. It was thrown in one promiscuous pile which became so hot from the steam and fermentation of seasoning, that he had to handle it all over and cord it up with air passages through it, in order to prevent its being prematurely burned.

The 8th annual sheep shearing festival of eastern Van Buren and western Kalamazoo Sheep Breeders' Association, will be held at the farm of A. I. Weldin, 3 miles south of Lawton, on Thursday, May 24th. The usual basket picnic will accompany the festival. Local committee: A. H. Norton, O. A. Breck, John Marshall, John Haynes, and Charles Lytle.

The double store of Geo. W. Longwell & Co. has been completed and fully stocked. No other store in the county has so much room on the ground floor, as this. It has been named the "Crystal Palace." It is worth visiting, even if you do not purchase any goods, just to see how very complete it is in all its appointments. See their new advertisement.

Broadhead Post, G. A. R., extends a cordial invitation to the citizens of this community, to assist them in the service to be held on Memorial Day. The ladies are especially requested to furnish all the flowers they can obtain for the occasion. Let the children go to the fields and forest and obtain a liberal supply of wild flowers. All flowers to be left at the store of comrade Hulbert. Let us all unite in honoring the memory of our noble dead.

The picnic of the Old People's Association of Almenna, will be held at the house of Jesse Wilson, on Wednesday, May 30, 1883, at 10 a. m. The following persons were chosen committee for the day: James W. Stoughton, John L. Stanton, Samuel Odell, Charles Earl, Decatur Downing, B. W. Hipp, M. F. Miner, Lyman G. Wait, W. F. French, Abel Burns, Asa Crofoot, Orren Rhodes, A. Holmes, and their wives. This is not old settlers, but old people; so come along, wherever you are, bring your baskets, and have a good time.

The twenty-third annual convention of the State Sunday School Association will be held in the city of Eaton Rapids, Mich., on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, June 26, 27, and 28. Rev. W. W. Ramsey, D. D., of Detroit, Rev. P. S. Henson, D. D., of Chicago, B. F. Jacobs Esq., of Chicago, and other distinguished gentlemen will be present, and will address the convention. It is earnestly desired that all parts of the state shall be represented by delegates. Elect your delegates at once, and report their names and address to Rev. D. W. Breed, Eaton Rapids, Mich.

A temperance meeting was held at the Court House last Saturday evening, at which considerable discussion was had as to what should be done to enforce the laws regulating the sale of intoxicating beverages. The meeting was continued at the M. E. church on Sunday evening, and some committees were appointed to look after matters. There ought to be no disagreement in the minds of all good citizens, in reference to this subject. The liquor laws, like all other statutes should be enforced, and all violations prosecuted. Liquor dealers themselves should not object to this, if they are law-abiding citizens. Nevertheless, under our statute dealers have the legal right to sell liquor within certain prescribed limits, and while prosecution for violation of law is right and commendable, persecution would be equally unjust and reprehensible.

#### Memorial Day.

We call attention to the following general order from the Commander-in-chief of the Grand Army. It should be read by every one who would cherish the memory of our defenders, and is of especial interest to every comrade and veteran soldier.

HEADQUARTERS  
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,  
GENERAL ORDERS, NO. 12,  
CHICAGO, ILL., April 14th, 1883.

1. In compliance with the Rules and Regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic, Wednesday, May 30th will be observed as Memorial Day.

The National Encampment adopted a resolution at its session in Baltimore declaring that this holy day should be called Memorial and not Decoration Day.

2. I earnestly request all ministers and priests of every denomination to deliver appropriate sermons or lectures, calling attention to the duties of the day—the sacrifices made and the lessons taught—on Sunday, May 27th. I hereby command Poets of the Grand Army of the Republic to attend said services, in uniform. In cities and villages where it will be practicable, I recommend union services.

3. I recommend that the Grand Army take especial steps to secure the presence and aid of the children and youth of the country in the ceremony of strewing flowers, and otherwise honoring the dead, and to that end I hope that all public and private schools, colleges and academies will be closed.

4. Let the hand of Fraternity and Charity be extended to the widows and orphans of our dead heroes. Seek them out; distinguish them from all others, and teach them that on this day the Grand Army mourns with them the loss of the precious ones whom they gave to save the nation.

5. I recommend that the loyal women of the nation be invited to aid in this work. They will toil with willing hands and grateful hearts. Though others may have forgotten the dead, the women have never ceased to remember them and treasure in their pure hearts their heroic services.

6. The marvelous growth of the order throughout the country will be a new incentive to us to see that no grave is neglected. I trust every spot where a soldier lies buried will be strewn with the sweet flowers of spring time, and urge the Poets of the Grand Army to take immediate steps to remove every soldier's remains from the Potter's field or pauper's burying ground and re-inter them in Grand Army grounds. We cannot perform this ceremony in the proper manner unless we have done our duty to the living and the dead.

7. "With Malice towards none and Charity for all," let us unite in this sacred duty. Let the choicest, fairest and most fragrant flowers be culled, and the soft white hands of the loyal women of the land entwine the wreath and fashion the cross and crown, dropping here and there, like dew, a tear for the dead. Let the choicest gardens be desolated that the memory of the Union soldier may not wither. We lift once more the curtain that hides the dark past, and see our fallen martyrs die for liberty. They gave their lives a cheerful sacrifice. They died in the hospital on beds of pain before the flag was torn with shot and shell; on the battle field in the fierce maddening charge; on the picket line under the leafy trees close to the babbling brook; in the prison pen where no pitying voice was heard, and no hand reached out to save; in the swamps, fleeing from a fate worse than death, and some went down in the mighty deep where the wild waves lash ceaselessly over their bones. Many sleep in graves marked unknown, but loving hearts and eager hands of a grateful people will cast flowers upon the green sward that covers their dust. Let the gates of all the cemeteries in the land open wide and their guardians render all the aid in their power in this noble work.

Comrades, a few short years fleeting swiftly by, and our children will be called upon to perform this duty. Let us so live that the lessons of memorial day will be imprinted upon their hearts, and they will willingly take up the work where our palmed hands have left it, and perpetuate for all time to come the touching ceremony we have inaugurated. By command of  
PAUL VANDERVOORT,  
Commander-in-Chief.  
F. E. BROWN,  
Adjutant General.